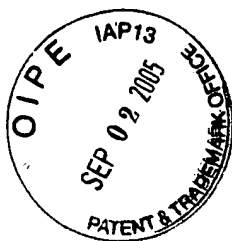


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Filed: November 22, 2000) Examiner: Jerry B. Dennison
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SYSTEM, ACCOUNTING CONTROL)
METHOD, AND RECORDING)
MEDIUM RECORDING A)
PROGRAM THEREFOR)

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Applicants claimed priority based on Japanese Patent Application Nos. 11-333467, 2000-005298, 2000-114452 and 2000-354166, filed November 24, 1999, January 5, 2000, April 14, 2000 and November 21, 2000, respectively. However, the Examiner has not acknowledged receipt of the certified copies of the Japanese Patent Applications for the above-noted application.

We have attached a copy of the first page of each of the Japanese Patent Applications, an as-filed copy of the Applicants' Claim for Priority that was filed concurrently with the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts on June 21, 2001, and a copy of the date-stamped postcard, to corroborate that the certified copies of the

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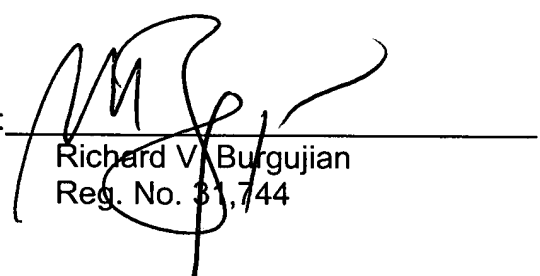
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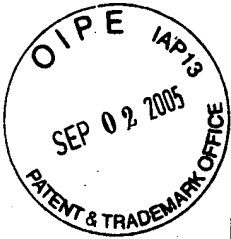
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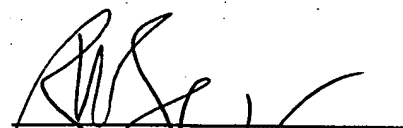
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Under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119, Applicants hereby claim the benefit of the filing date of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-333467, filed November 24, 1999, Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-005298, filed January 5, 2000, Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-114452, filed April 14, 2000, and Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-354166, filed November 21, 2000 for the above-identified U.S. patent application.

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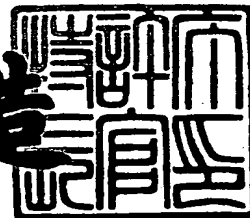
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